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First named inventor: Ari ALASTALO

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Application No.: 09/765,850

Art Unit: 2661

MAR 17 2006

Filed: January 19, 2001

Examiner: Cangialosi, Salvatore A

Title: APPARATUS, AND ASSOCIATED METHOD, FOR
UTILIZING ANTENNA INFORMATION DETERMINATIVE
OF ANTENNA OPERATION IN A WIRELESS MESH
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- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee - required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

Small entity-fee \$ _____ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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2. Reply and/or fee

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in
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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2005

Effective 10/01/2004. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)		
1001 790	2001 395	Utility filing fee	
1002 350	2002 175	Design filing fee	
1003 550	2003 275	Plant filing fee	
1004 790	2004 395	Reissue filing fee	
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)			

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
			-20** =	X	
			-3** =	X	

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	
1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20
1201 88	2201 44	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 300	2203 150	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 88	2204 44	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)		

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051 130	2051 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052 50	2052 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053 130	1053 130	Non-English specification	
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804 920*	1804 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251 110	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252 490	2252 215	Extension for reply within second month	
1253 980	2253 490	Extension for reply within third month	
1254 1,530	2254 765	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255 2,060	2255 1,040	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401 340	2401 170	Notice of Appeal	
1402 340	2402 170	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403 300	2403 150	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453 1,370	2453 685	Petition to revive - unintentional	1,370.00
1501 1,370	2501 685	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	1,370.00
1502 490	2502 245	Design issue fee	
1503 660	2503 330	Plant issue fee	
1460 130	1460 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807 50	1807 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806 180	1808 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021 40	8021 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809 790	2809 395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810 790	2810 395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801 790	2801 395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802 900	1802 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify) Publication fee			300.00

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SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 3,040.00)

SUBMITTED BY		(Complete if applicable)		
Name (Print/Type)	Robert M. Bauer	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	34,487	Telephone 212 895-2630
Signature		Date	October 28, 2004	

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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/765,850	01/19/2001	Ani Alestalo	NC19047	9241

TITLE OF INVENTION: APPARATUS, AND ASSOCIATED METHOD, FOR UTILIZING ANTENNA INFORMATION DETERMINATIVE OF ANTENNA OPERATION IN A WIRELESS MESH NETWORK

APPLN. TYPE	SMALL ENTITY	ISSUE FEE	PUBLICATION FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
nonprovisional	NO	\$1990 \$1370	\$300	\$1670	09/14/2004

EXAMINER	ART UNIT	CLASS-SUBCLASS
CANGIALOSI, SALVATORE A	2661	375-338000

1. Change of correspondence address or indication of "Fee Address" (37 CFR 1.363).	2. For printing on the patent front page, list (1) the names of up to 3 registered patent attorneys or agents OR, alternatively, (2) the name of a single firm (having as a member a registered attorney or agent) and the names of up to 2 registered patent attorneys or agents. If no name is listed, no name will be printed.
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Director for Patents is requested to apply the Issue Fee and Publication Fee (if any) or to re-apply any previously paid issue fee to the application identified above.

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MEMORANDUM

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FROM: Robert Bauer

RE: Request for Decision on Petition to Revive filed on October 28, 2004 in:
 Ari ALASTALO et al., "Apparatus, and Associated Method, for Utilizing Antenna
 Information Determinative of Antenna Operation in a Wireless Mesh Network"
 Application No. 09/765,850 filed January 19, 2001
 Examiner: Salvatore A. Canglaliosi Art Unit: 2661
 Docket No.: 6173-1004

Dear Sirs,

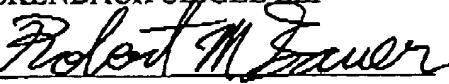
Attached is a copy of: 1) Petition for Revival; 2) Comments on Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance; and 3) Issue Fee Transmittal, filed in the above patent application on October 28, 2004. Also attached is the "Auto-Reply Facsimile Transmission" that confirms that the materials were received at the U.S. Patent Office.

We have to this date heard nothing from the U.S. Patent Office about this Petition or other documents. We respectfully request that the U.S. Patent Office address the Petition and process these materials without further delay.

Please contact me via telephone if it will help to expedite the matter. Thank you in advance for your careful consideration.

Very truly yours,

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By: 
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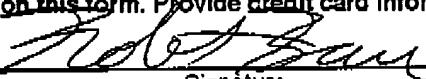
3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$ _____ for a small entity or \$ _____ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE: The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D)).]

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COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

The Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance states that the "prior art of record fails to anticipate or render obvious the claimed combination of a method and apparatus..." Applicants note that U.S. Patent No. 6,640,087 is not prior art because it was filed after the filing date of this application. So that there is no confusion, applicants also wish to make clear that there are no claims directed to the combination of a method and apparatus. There is independent claim 1 directed to an apparatus and a separate independent claim 12 directed to a method.

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The Statement of Reasons for Allowance also refers to the "manner and complexity explicitly recited in the claims." However, the Statement of Reasons for Allowance repeats most of the language of independent claim 1 (except that it refers to "means" when no such means is in fact recited in claim 1). Consequently, there is no "manner and complexity" in claim 1 in addition to the language of independent claim 1 already contained in the Statement of Reasons for Allowance. Furthermore, independent method claim 12 recites different features than claim 1 and is allowable for different reasons than claim 1 and different reasons than that set forth in the Statement of Reasons for Allowance. Finally, the dependent claims recite features in addition to those set forth in claims 1 or 12, and therefore may be allowable for additional reasons.

Respectfully Submitted,

By:



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